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Office of Special Nutritionals Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition Food and Drug Administration 200 "C" Street, S.W. (HFS-455) Washington, D.C. 20204

Dear Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994, Rainbow Light Nutritional Systems, Inc. wishes to notify the Food and Drug Administration that it has, within the past 30 days, commenced marketing a dietary supplement which bears a statement of nutritional support.

The dietary supplement for which the statement is made is Traditional Digestive Bitters $^{\text{M}}$. The statement of nutritional support reads as follows:

Gentian stimulates the secretion of gastric fluids, which is an essential function of a healthy digestive system.

These statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer which is prominently displayed in bold faced type.

These statements of nutritional support are based on a large body of data which, in our judgement, renders these statements substantiated, truthful and non-misleading.

Sincerely,

Chuck Loeber

Quality Control Manager